

109TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 264

AN ACT

To amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize certain projects in the State of Hawaii.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Hawaii Water Re-
5 sources Act of 2005”.

1 **SEC. 2. HAWAII RECLAMATION PROJECTS.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Reclamation Wastewater and
3 Groundwater Study and Facilities Act (43 U.S.C. 390h
4 et seq.) is amended—

5 (1) by redesignating the second section 1636
6 (as added by section 1(b) of Public Law 108–316
7 (118 Stat. 1202)) as section 1637; and

8 (2) by adding at the end the following:

9 **“SEC. 1638. HAWAII RECLAMATION PROJECTS.**

10 **“(a) AUTHORIZATION.—**The Secretary may—

11 “(1) in cooperation with the Board of Water
12 Supply, City and County of Honolulu, Hawaii, par-
13 ticipate in the design, planning, and construction of
14 a project in Kalaeloa, Hawaii, to desalinate and dis-
15 tribute seawater for direct potable use within the
16 service area of the Board;

17 “(2) in cooperation with the County of Hawaii
18 Department of Environmental Management, Hawaii,
19 participate in the design, planning, and construction
20 of facilities in Kealahou, Hawaii, for the treatment
21 and distribution of recycled water and for environ-
22 mental purposes within the County; and

23 “(3) in cooperation with the County of Maui
24 Wastewater Reclamation Division, Hawaii, partici-
25 pate in the design, planning, and construction of,
26 and acquire land for, facilities in Lahaina, Hawaii,

1 for the distribution of recycled water from the
 2 Lahaina Wastewater Reclamation Facility for non-
 3 potable uses within the County.

4 “(b) COST SHARE.—The Federal share of the cost
 5 of a project described in subsection (a) shall not exceed
 6 25 percent of the total cost of the project.

7 “(c) LIMITATION.—Funds provided by the Secretary
 8 shall not be used for the operation and maintenance of
 9 a project described in subsection (a).

10 “(d) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There
 11 are authorized to be appropriated such sums as are nec-
 12 essary to carry out this section.”.

13 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The table of sec-
 14 tions in section 2 of the Reclamation Projects Authoriza-
 15 tion and Adjustment Act of 1992 (43 U.S.C. prec. 371)
 16 is amended by striking the item relating to the second sec-
 17 tion 1636 (as added by section 2 of Public Law 108–316
 18 (118 Stat. 1202)) and inserting the following:

“Sec. 1637. Williamson County, Texas, Water Recycling and Reuse Project.

“Sec. 1638. Hawaii reclamation projects.”.

Passed the Senate July 26, 2005.

Attest:

Secretary.

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